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## 'BUNCH' O'NIELL IS SHOT

BULLET FIRED INTO HIS BACK  
LAST NIGHT BY ANDY H.  
RAY, A BUTCHER.

## TRouble OCCURRED IN STAG SALOON

Wounded Man Will Recover Unless  
Peritonitis Sets in—Bullet Was  
Removed Today—Ray in  
the County Jail.

Andrew H. Ray, a butcher, 31 years old, made an attempt to murder J. W. O'Neill, better known as "Bunch" O'Neill, son of Mrs. Julia O'Neill, 429 West Pettis street, while the two were standing in the bar room of the Stag saloon, 114 Ohio avenue, at 11 o'clock last night.

Brandishing a No. 41-caliber Colt's revolver, Ray threatened to blow O'Neill out of existence, and then fired point blank at his victim.

According to Drs. H. L. and K. Raymond Barnum, who made an examination this morning, the ball from the cartridge entered O'Neill's back just above the right hip, passed through the pelvic bone and lodged in the abdomen, just below the navel.

The ball was removed from the victim's body at the City hospital this morning, when Drs. Barnum made an examination to ascertain if the intestines had been penetrated, which was not the case.

Unless peritonitis develops, O'Neill will recover, was the statement made by the attending physicians today.

O'Neill and Ray were schoolmates years ago. The latter conducts a butcher shop in North Sedalia, while O'Neill recently returned from a trip through the south.

Both visitors at the Stag saloon last night, when Ray, who bore a grudge against his victim, threatened O'Neill's life, saying the latter was instrumental recently in causing his arrest for carrying concealed weapons.

Continued insults offered to O'Neill by Ray were ignored, according to witnesses to the affair, and shortly before the shooting occurred Ray remarked to O'Neill that the latter would have to whip him that night. Ray then left the saloon, returning in less than five minutes.

Quietly he proceeded to the rear of the saloon, where, hidden from view, he drew his revolver and prepared for the murderous assault.

With weapon in hand he returned to the bar room and singling out his victim, fired. O'Neill fell to the floor and was assisted to a private room in the building.

Officers Redmon and Assistant Chief of Police Card were on the scene by this time, and the latter wrested the gun from Ray, after which the would-be murderer was taken to police headquarters and later lodged in jail, pending his examination.

O'Neill was removed in a carriage to the City hospital. He suffered great pain from the wound and this morning opiates were administered to relieve his sufferings while the physicians made an examination.

As previously stated, they found that the ball had entered the back just above the right hip, passed through the body, including the pelvic bone, and had lodged just below the navel.

According to Johnson, the barkeeper, Ray was not a frequenter of the saloon, and his visit there last night was the first time that he had ever been seen at the place.

Throughout the evening he continually sought a fight with O'Neill, but the latter refused to have anything to do with him, and on every occasion avoided trouble.

Andy Ray employed P. D. Hastain to defend him, and on the latter's advice the prisoner declines to be interviewed.

Will Make Popcorn Balls.

The six young ladies who are to give a Christmas tree for the children at the court house next Thursday afternoon have been advised by Mrs. Richard Taft and Mrs. W. L. Smith that they will make and donate a number of popcorn balls for the tree, so that now only a few more will be received an ovation.

On Trial for Assault.

Henry Ford, charged with assault, is on trial before a jury in Judge Rickman's court this afternoon.

so that she may provide for the little ones.

Loving Cup Entertainment.

A loving cup entertainment in honor of Miss Gertrude Smith and J. S. Brennenman, whose marriage is to take place on Christmas day, was given by Judge and Mrs. George F. Longan at their West Broadway residence last night. Thirty guests attended. Mrs. William H. Hearne, of Wheeling, W. Va., was a special guest of honor.

After an informal musical program, loving cup toasts and a love story, composed by Mrs. J. B. Fuller and read by Dr. Fuller, a supper was spread.

## THREE STORES ROBBED

BURGLARS GOT IN THEIR WORK  
IN EAST SEDALIA SOME  
TIME LAST NIGHT.

## NO CLEW IN EITHER OF THE ROBBERIES

W. J. Letts Lost About \$5, Otis W. Smith Something Like \$75, and Nicholson & White Got On With a Loss of \$20.

W. J. Letts' grocery store, Otis J. Smith's drug store and the grocery store of Nicholson & White, all situated in the vicinity of Fifth street and Engineer avenue, were broken into by robbers some time last night and money and goods taken to the amount of \$100.

The intruders entered Mr. Letts' store through a transom and stole \$5 and a few pennies. None of the stock of goods has been discovered missing. A rear window was pried open in Mr. Smith's drug store and seven razors, valued at \$18, about \$8 worth of postage stamps in the sub-station of the local post office and drug store articles were taken, making Mr. Smith's total loss about \$75.

Almost \$20 in money was taken from Nicholson & White, but no groceries were missed. The proprietors have been unable to learn how entrance was gained to their storeroom, as all windows and doors were locked and no indication was given of them having been opened.

There is no clew to any of the robbers.

E. S. Shortridge, salesman for the Mackey Shoe Co., found a broken key in the door of the company's offices on West Main street as he opened the office for business this morning.

## THOSE WHO DREW PRIZES

When They Are All Gone, Bachelors Will Be Drawn.

The bazaar now being held in the McGinley building, on Ohio street, by the ladies of Sacred Heart church is meeting with much encouragement, and especially was this true last night.

Beautiful works of art, hundreds of articles of household value and charming dolls have been drawn by lucky ones. Still there is a large stock of goods to be disposed of, especially a ladies' elegant watch donated by Rev. S. Neiburg. The buying of numbers tonight will be spirited, and when the supply is exhausted some handsome bachelors will be drawn for.

Among the prizes already drawn were dolls by Thomas Cerney, Mrs. Ed Imhauser, Mrs. Otto Ramlow, Miss Emma Keller, Mrs. Joe Paradis and Mrs. McAllister and a quilt by Miss Irene Riley.

## GIVEN HEARTY WELCOME

President-Elect Taft Was Greeted With Enthusiasm in Augusta, Ga.

Augusta, Ga., Dec. 18.—A vociferous Georgia welcome was extended to President-elect Taft on his arrival here today. The big train shed was crowded with people, who cheered lustily as the form of Mr. Taft appeared on the car platform.

The official welcome was extended by a large committee headed by President L. C. Hayne, of the Chamber of Commerce. Mrs. Taft also received an ovation.

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Miss Irene Blair has been furnished with a list of names of children who desire tickets of admission to the tree, but the names and ages of the children were not given, and it is asked that they be sent to Miss Blair.

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## CHEER UP! THERE'S MORE TO COME



## ONCE LIVED IN SEDALIA

THE REV. A. D. STUCKEMAN, WHO IS AT HEAD OF SOCIETY IN SOUTH DAKOTA.

## CHOSN HEAD OF THE CHILDREN'S HOME

Succeeds W. R. Sherrard as Superintendent—The New Official Has a Large Number of Friends in the Queen City.

The Rev. A. D. Stuckeman, son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Brant, and a former Sedalia divine, is written of as follows in the Sioux Falls, S. D., Leader:

After a magnificent work covering a period of sixteen years, W. R. Sherrard has surrendered the active superintendence of the Children's home in this city to Rev. A. D. Stuckeman, who has been his able assistant for some time. It is a grand work that Mr. Sherrard has done in the interest of the unfortunate children. It started in a small way on his farm in Clark county, where for a number of years he and Mrs. Sherrard, who departed this life a few months ago, carried on the work unassisted. Finally the home was removed to Sioux Falls. And from the small beginning made on the Clark county farm Mr. Sherrard now turns over to his successor a magnificent property in excellent condition and worth at least \$60,000. It will be regretted by the large army of friends of the home that Mr. Sherrard has been compelled to give up the actual management of the home. But it had to be expected. Mr. Sherrard was not a young man when he began the noble work, and of course we all grow old in time and our places will have to be filled by younger people.

The announcement of Mr. Sherrard's retirement from the actual management of the home was made Tuesday evening at a little oyster supper given by President Schlosser of the home board to other members of the board and a few invited guests, prior to the quarterly meeting of the board.

Mr. Sherrard will remain the nominal head of the home, but the actual work will fall on the shoulders of Rev. and Mrs. Stuckeman, who have been the able assistants of Mr. Sherrard for more than a year. Mr. Sherrard will in the near future leave the city on a vacation which will take him to a warmer climate for the winter months.

At the meeting which followed the supper the quarterly report of Superintendent Sherrard showed that thirty-two children had been received for the first time, five for temporary care, twenty had been returned for

replacement, twenty-seven had been placed for the first time, sixteen replaced, three returned to parents, one had died and thirty-eight were on hand the first of December.

Mrs. Andrew Beveridge, treasurer, reported collections for the first quarter of \$3,977.77, a loan of \$525, expense of \$2,508.60, and a balance on hand Dec. 1 of \$2,144.17.

Contrary to the city ordinance, the street sweeper of Ball & Bosserman was at work sweeping Ohio avenue at 8:50 o'clock last night, sending clouds of dust into the different business houses, and causing would-be shoppers to return home. The city ordinance forbids such work to be done earlier than 10 o'clock, but little attention is paid to the council's order.

Chicago Woman Endeavors to Recover Her Treasures in Beloit, Wis., but as Yet She Has Not Been Successful.

Chicago, Dec. 18.—Mrs. F. L. Mercer, No. 1919 Wrightwood avenue, who lost jewels valued at \$2,000 while on an automobile trip into Wisconsin a year ago, is leaving no clew untraced that may lead to the discovery of her lost gems.

She is preparing to go to Beloit to interview Durward Cornelius, whose Thanksgiving goose was found to contain gems similar to some of those which were lost from the automobile.

Mrs. Mercer read in a Chicago paper of the finding of the gems in the gizzard of the fowl, and her son immediately began an investigation into the life history of the "golden goose."

This developed, by correspondence with Mr. Cornelius, that the bird was in the neighborhood, alive and well, when the gems were lost.

The investigations of Mr. Cornelius have revealed the following facts of the history of the goose:

The butcher who sold the fowl to Mr. Cornelius bought it with many others from a wholesale firm at Rockford, Ill.

The Rockford firm deals largely with farmers living near Beloit, and the treasure bird is said to have come from a man who lives near a road often frequented by automobiles. Mrs. Mercer had driven her automobile along this road.

So confident is Mrs. Mercer that the gems are hers that she plans to go to Beloit in an attempt to identify them.

The police are anxious to have explained why Stephen Kelleher, the husband, died of ptomaine poisoning, said to have been contracted at a banquet, and why Katherine, the 12-year-old child, died of poisoning, after a field day given by the Holy Ghost hospital, when no other person at those places was affected.

Each carried life insurance. From close to \$2,500, the insurance collected after the death of the husband, Stephen, the amounts range down to a pittance \$25, for which the life of 2-year-old Mary Kelleher was insured.

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Warrant for Jail Bird.

A state warrant was issued by Judge Leaming today for the arrest of John Emerson, an inmate of the county jail, for disturbing the peace, court.

The four defendants are John H. Laitant.

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To Be Colder Tonight.

Fair tonight and Saturday; cold tonight.

MAINE AND IOWA.

Senator Hale's election as the republican floor leader of the United States senate carries with it the chairmanship of the republican "steering" committee, and no doubt also the chairmanship of the senate committee on appropriations, formerly held by the late Mr. Allison, of Iowa.

There are a few facts in connection with the succession to Mr. Allison's old place by the senator from Maine that are of interest. The appropriations committee of the senate has existed since 1867, its work before then having been done by the finance committee. Out of the forty-one years of its life the chairmanship has been held for thirty-two years by senators from Maine and Iowa, and after having been held so long by Mr. Allison the chairmanship now goes to a Maine man again.

The Maine predecessor of Senator Hale was Senator Lot M. Morrill, who served as chairman from 1869 to 1871 and from 1873 to 1879. Nor should it be forgotten that when the finance committee embraced the appropriations committee the chairman for years was still another Maine man, the distinguished William Pitt Fessenden, whose extraordinary labors covered the period of the Civil war.

On the whole, Maine's connection with the appropriations of the government for the past fifty years has been remarkable and also entirely unrivaled by any state save Iowa.

## BUY EARLY FOR CHRISTMAS.

There is no method of securing accurate statistics on the subject, but it is undoubtedly a fact that a goodly percentage of the people of Chicago are saying that they ought to buy their Christmas presents early while they are allowing the thief of time to steal days and weeks from them. For the philosophy of the season is, so to speak, in full blast, says the Chicago Tribune. Conservation runs naturally to the question of questions and ends in a confusion of laments, proclamations of duty and good resolutions.

"I haven't bought a thing yet" is followed by "I must" and "I will."

Merely to declare, however, that now's the day and now's the hour falls short of action, and action is what is needed. It gives one a choice before stocks are much depleted, it relieves the mind of a burden, it brings peace, intense satisfaction and a self-approving conscience.

It would do that if the only persons to be considered were the giver and the receiver, but there are other persons who are greatly interested. There are thousands to whom the holidays are a time of increased labor. Those who sell the presents and those who deliver them must do in a few days the work of weeks unless the Christmas shopping is distributed, as it should be.

The early shopper helps them and helps himself at the same time. In

helping them he is acting in the true Christmas spirit quite as much as when he gives the present on Christmas day.

## ECONOMY IMPOSSIBLE.

Congressman Tawney, chairman of the house appropriations committee, has begun his admonitions of economy earlier than usual, but we doubt if they will be any more effective. There still is a considerable sum of money in the treasury that can be used, and money can be borrowed, and plenty of congressmen think that a little further taxation would hurt no one.

Thus far in the fiscal year we are running \$11,000,000, or a trifle more, behind, and most of the available cash balance will be gone by the end of this fiscal year. Mr. Tawney is afraid that tariff changes will reduce revenues, though they are just as likely to increase them, and he says, decidedly: "The situation is not rosy." It is not, and republican extravagance is the cause of it.

## MUD TURTLES AND HENS.

Any way you take it, advertising pays. A mud turtle lays just as many eggs in a season as does a hen, and lays them all in a bunch, at that, which is bound to be more of a mental strain; but the turtle doesn't advertise and the hen does, and the result is there is a hundred calls for hen's eggs in the restaurants where there's one for turtles'.

To apply the parable, the businessman who complains of overproduction in his line may be safely set down as a member of the mud turtle class. He either does not advertise, or does not advertise well. Good advertising in strong daily newspaper mediums forces demand to keep pace with supply.

The Wright brothers between them have established the fact that flight like a bird is possible, but also that it is very difficult. It requires no merely good flying machine, but a good operator. However, says the Brooklyn Eagle, once a man learns to fly with freedom, he will have thousands of rivals.

The navy wants an airship which will float as well as fly. Naval experts understand that it is entirely possible to be in the air and in the deep water at one and the same time.

A French countess, noted as a hunter of big game, has been lost in the wilds of Africa. It is to be hoped that the lions she started out to find did not find her sweet enough than Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription.

King Edward, though a gracious sovereign, is a busy man, and probably never will find time to make a tour out of our distinguished ex-countryperson, William Waldorf Astor.

Andrew Carnegie has now established a hero fund of \$1,250,000 for Scotland, with listening to bagpipes music barred as a reason for getting in on the money.

A state of war now exists between Holland and Venezuela, but as long as there is no fighting they ought to worry through the "hostilities" somewhat.

The woman who barred her children from having a picture of Santa Claus because he used a pipe, will see more smoke in the hereafter.

And now the Cannon's deafening roar breaks forth afresh, the scene of war being transferred to the effete east.

What the New York World has to say for the next day or two should be sterilized in a refrigerator before reading.

If that physician who is to operate on Castro should let the knife slip, how sad the powers would be.

Hobson will be disappointed when he sees the "yellow peril" eat out of Uncle Sam's hand.

## The City in Darkness.

The board of Aldermen and Electric Light company are at it again. Prepare for the future and you will seldom have to look backward with regret.

Build up a savings account; it will be a reserve for any unforeseen trouble.

Your savings earn 3 per cent compound interest with us.

We invite small accounts as well as large ones.

\$1.00 will open an account; it is a small start, but a good beginning. Deposit and withdraw at your pleasure—without notice.

A nice bottle of Good Perfume is certainly an appropriate present. We have the highest quality in bottles from 25c to \$2.00.

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Don't grow when starting on a busy tour. People who make a practice of going to West's Book Shop never grow.

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On Saturday, Dec. 19th, we will sell new golden dates, fresh 1908 crop, not over 5 pounds to a person, and no order delivered for dates alone, at per lb. .... 5c

## ALLEGRETTI

Delicious soft center chocolate creams in 1/2 lb. boxes, 35c; in 1-lb. boxes, 60c—equal to any 80c chocolates sold in this city.

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## WHEN

Down town, look in our windows. Come in and see our stock.

HICKS  
THE GROCER

Miss Freeman Recovering. Miss Maud Freeman, cashier at Quinn Pros. shoe store, who for eight days past has been quite ill with pneumonia at her home, 322 North Prospect avenue, under the care of Dr. E. D. Herbert, is pronounced recovering.

## A Parrot Is Rewarded.

Circuit Judge Hoffman today revoked the parole of Crawford Clark, who was recently sentenced to two years in the state reform school at Bonneville for petit larceny, and ordered the original sentence executed.

## Words of Praise

For the several ingredients of which Dr. Pierce's medicines are composed, as given by leaders in all the several schools of medicine, should have far more weight than any amount of non-professional testimonial. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription has THE BADGE OF HONESTY on every bottle-wrapper, in a full list of all its ingredients printed in plain English.

If you are an invalid woman and suffer from frequent headache, backache, gnawing distress in stomach, periodical pains, disagreeable, catarrhal, pelvic drain, dragging down distress in lower abdomen or pelvic, perhaps dark spots or specks dancing before the eyes, faint spells and kindred symptoms caused by female weakness, or other derangement of the feminine organs, you can not do better than take Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription.

The hospital, surgeon's knife and operating table may be avoided by the timely use of "Favorite Prescription" in such cases. Thereby the obnoxious examinations and local treatments of the family physician can be avoided and a thorough course of successful treatment carried out in the privacy of the home. "Favorite Prescription" is composed of the very best medicinal roots known to medical science for the cure of woman's peculiar ailments, contains no alcohol and no harsh or habit-forming drugs.

Do not expect too much from "Favorite Prescription"; it will not perform miracles. No medicine will. It will do as much to establish vigorous health in most weaknesses and ailments peculiarly incident to women as any medicine can. It must be given a fair chance by perseverance in its use for a reasonable length of time.

You can't afford to accept a secret nostrum as a substitute for this remedy or known composition.

You are invited to consult by letter free. All correspondence is held as strictly private and sacredly confidential. Address: World's Dispensary Medical Association, Dr. R. V. Pierce, Pres., No. 663 Main Street, Buffalo, N. Y.

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Nunnally's Candy—Make your sweetheart happier to see you by taking her a box of Nunnally's. One agent only in town.

Will Wed at Cole Camp.

Miss Clara Mueller, daughter of Gerd Mueller, of Cole Camp, and niece of Mrs. O. D. Ritter of this city, will be united in marriage to a Mr. Latham, a Rock Island railway official, at the home of her parents at Cole Camp at high noon Sunday, December 20.

Wanted—White girl for housework.

No washing; small family; good wages. Apply 622 West Broadway.

Newest in Suitings at Weisburgh's, Men's Tailor, 213 Ohio.

Arlington Pharmacy.

Don't grow when starting on a busy tour. People who make a practice of going to West's Book Shop never grow.

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## SCHOOL'S FINE EXHIBITS

Pupils of Prospect Make a Splendid Showing.

The teachers and pupils of Prospect school were extended a loyal patronage this afternoon on the occasion of their exhibits and sale of manual art articles, the proceeds to be used for the purchase of pictures and other decorations for the eight grades in the school.

Miss Slater, the efficient principal, and her assistants, made each and every visitor welcome and the bazaar was a success in every particular.

The hours were from 1 to 4 o'clock, and during the afternoon the following program was rendered:

Welcome Address—William Stanley.

Mother Goose Convention—Pupils of rooms Nos. 1 and 2.

Christmas Wishes—Lucile Higdon,

Annie Kroenke, Snowdon Mitchell,

Virginia Jenkins, Vivian Kahn, Edna

Moore, Bertrice Campbell, Viola Blatner, Opal Reams, Helen Luther.

A Quarrel—Margaret Anderson and

Virginia Buren.

Song Christmas Secrets—Pupils

Christmastide, an operetta—Pupils

rooms Nos. 1 and 2.

Winter—Myrtle Keuper.

North Wind—Ariel Lenon.

Santa Claus—Carl Beckman.

Snowflake Fairies—Hazel Muckey,

Mildred Marshall, Blanche DeJarnett,

Irene Menefee.

Holly Girls—Frances Jenkins, Mary

Hanes, Rebecca Stinson, Ruth Yanow,

Fay Maygood, Winfred Glover.

Mistletoe Girls—Mildred Menefee,

Dorothy Highman, Adelia Lange,

Yule Lopp, Fannie Haukul, Rhoda

Kolbahn, Mary Holloman.

Baby Chorus—Helen Shultz, Florence

Ludemann, Adele Schmid, Alberta

Hutchings, Marie Urban, Leona

Simon.

Boy Chorus—Lyman Keuper, Russell

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For Fruit Cake—We are prepared to furnish you with the finest citron, orange peel, lemon peel, raisins, currants, etc. All fresh and of best quality.

**Sweet Pickles in Mason's Quart Jars, 25c.**

Don't fail to try our Coffee; while possibly not better than any other, but ours is fresh roasted; we get it fresh every Tuesday and Friday. Our customers tell us that our Coffee is the best for the money,

**12½, 15, 20 and 25c pound.**

Pepper, Cinnamon, Mustard and Allspice are things that are hard to get pure. Try ours once. One trial is all we ask.

**Hams! Hams!**

We will sell them for 12c per pound. Think of a cured ham at the price of salt bacon—500 Hams at 12c per pound.

**Umbrellas \$1.00 and \$1.25.**

See Them Before You Buy.

**Hand Bags 25c to \$1.50.**

Shawls, Fascinators, Shoes, Blankets, Comforts, Bed Spreads, Table Cloth, Men's Caps, Boys' Caps, Gloves, Mittens, Ladies' Belts, Neckties, Shoes, Hose, Belt Buckles, Breastpins, Shirt Waist Sets, Collars, Handkerchiefs, Sox, Hat Pins, Suspenders, Shirts, are suggestions for Christmas. You can buy them for little money at

**F. TAYLOR CAIN'S,**  
118 West Main Street,  
Sedalia, - Missouri.

Store Will Be Open Till 9 o'Clock Till Christmas.

**KNOX ACCEPTS CABINET JOB?**

Pennsylvanian Won't Confirm a Washington Report.

Washington, Dec. 18.—The positive statement was made last night that Senator P. C. Knox, of Pennsylvania, has been offered and accepted the ap-

pointment of secretary of state in the Taft administration.

Senator Knox refused to make any comment regarding the matter.

Gillette Safety Razor—Makes a most substantial and useful present. We have them at \$5.00 and up.

Arlington Pharmacy.

Smoke "Little Squaw" cigars—5c.

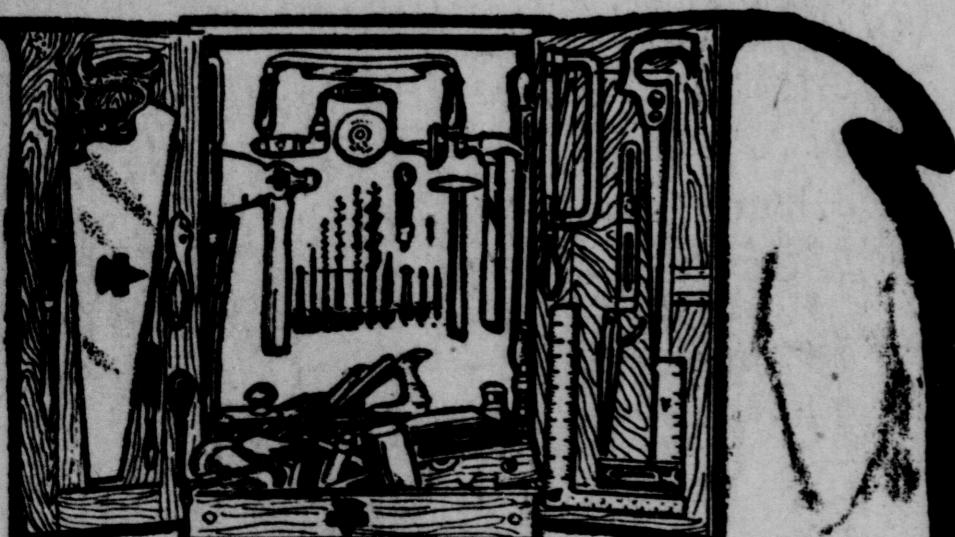
**Wood's Opera House.****One Week Sunday, Dec. 20**

THE SHOW THAT AMAZES

**Wilhelm Hypnotic & Comedy Company.****10c-20c-30c.**

LADIES FREE MONDAY NIGHT

Christmas and Saturday Matinee, 10c.

**A Place for Every Tool**In every home and every shop there should be a **KEEN KUTTER** Tool Cabinet which contains just the right selection of Tools for practical purposes, all belonging to the famous **KEEN KUTTER** Family and fully guaranteed.The Cabinet itself is made of the finest natural oak, hand rubbed and finely fitted. All **KEEN KUTTER** Tool Cabinets are of the same quality and finish; prices varying according to size and selection of tools. **YOU need one.**

Call at once and examine our line.

**PETER HOFFMAN.****JOB FOR 3 YEARS, \$25,000**

ROBISON EXPECTS MR. BRESNAHAN TO BOOST THE "CARDINALS."

**THE BIG CATCHER WILL MAKE ALL DEALS**

First Work Will Be to Sign Shortstop and Strong Pitching Staff—What the Owner of the Club Says.

Cleveland, O., Dec. 18.—Soon after the arrival of Stanley Robison in Cleveland Tuesday, he called Roger Bresnahan by long-distance telephone, summoning him to Cleveland.

They immediately entered into a long conference, as a result of which, it is announced, Bresnahan will manage the St. Louis Cardinals for the next three years under a contract calling for \$25,000 for the term. Bresnahan to also act as catcher for the team.

If other deals considered between Robison and Bresnahan are carried into effect, it will result in putting the Cardinals away up in the first division of the National league. This is the digest of stories given out by Robison to the press.

He said that he and Bresnahan had practically agreed on terms some time ago.

Mr. Robison said to a correspondent yesterday:

"I have always believed that the best way to build up a championship team is first to obtain first-class catchers. A good catcher will make a good pitcher of almost any twirler of ability, but good pitchers never turn out good catchers. The catcher is the pilot of the whole course.

"In Bresnahan I have just the man needed for that position. I had no good catcher last season, but all conceded that I had the best pitching staff in the league, except possibly Chicago. I had the players, but they could not win games without a catcher.

"Now I have a catcher but no pitchers left worth mentioning, but I think they can be obtained easier than a man like Bresnahan. Shortstop was another weak point last year. Jap Parrott, formerly of Cleveland, and with Toledo last season, now of Philadelphia, would be an ideal man to fill that hole. I don't think Murray needs him, and judging from his work with Toledo he would be a big improvement over the players we tried out there last year.

"I hope to get a dozen or so from the surplus material of the other clubs, some of whom might be expected to develop into stars under Bresnahan. We don't want McGinnity. He was once a grand one, but his pitching arm has done its best work.

"I am looking to the future and want bright young men, those who will come out into classy men under good handling. I will leave all this, however, to Roger Bresnahan, and he will make all the deals.

"I consider him one of the best men in the business in his position and I am booking him to make good as a manager."

**THE J. W. WARREN SALE**

Was Held 4½ Miles Southeast of Green Ridge Thursday.

J. W. Warren, having decided to retire from farming, held a closing out sale of his personal property on his farm, 4½ miles southeast of Green Ridge, Thursday.

While the day was threatening and at times rain falling, yet his neighbors attended and bid liberally on all offerings, and good prices prevailed, making the sale most satisfactory to the genial proprietor and to Col. R. A. Harkless, who conducted the sale with his usual vigor, getting top prices for all offerings.

J. E. Bagby, president of the Farmers and Merchants' bank at Green Ridge, handled the books, and being personally acquainted with all bid-

**Rheumatism**

I have found a tried and tested cure for Rheumatism! Not a remedy that will straighten the distorted limbs of chronic cripples, nor turn bony growths back into skin again. That is impossible.

But now you can kill the pains and pangs of this deplorable disease.

In Germany—with the last ingredient which is now known to kill the pains and pangs of this deplorable disease.

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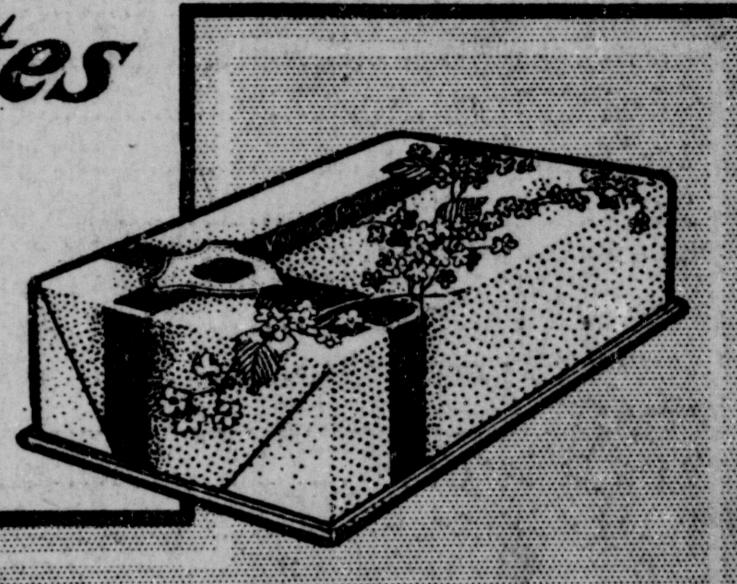
W. E. BARD DRUG CO.

**LOOSE-WILES' VASSAR CHOCOLATES**

The standard confection today—popular everywhere because of their goodness. Vassar Chocolates are a perfect blending of delicate, fruit-flavored cream centers and rich chocolate coating—a delicious, mouth-watering confection that captivates all candy lovers.

Each Vassar Chocolate is individually wrapped in moisture proof parchment paper—then the whole package is triple sealed. You can be sure of their freshness—their daintiness—their purity.

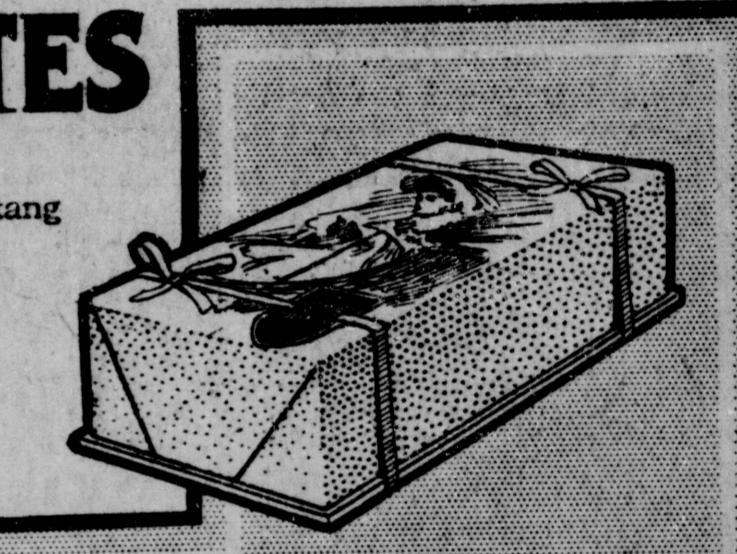
At your candy dealer, in half-pound—pound—two—three and five-pound sizes.

**Vassar Supreme Chocolates**

An "edition de luxe" of the popular Vassar Chocolates—our new style confection that knows no rival. Incased in the exquisite chocolate coating are two varieties of cream centers—flowing and firm. Each chocolate is singly wrapped in waxed paper, then gold and silver foil alternately, a fit cloak for these supreme chocolates. In pound boxes only.

**SWISS STYLE MILK CHOCOLATES**

Vassar made, brings out the full flavor of this dainty chocolate. It is given an entirely new taste—richer and better than you ever before tasted. Each of these delicious candies has a separate wrapper to preserve their goodness—then packed in our regular way—triple-sealed. Try them. In half-pound or pound boxes—ask your candy man.

**BITTER SWEET CHOCOLATES**

The two confection opposites blended in perfect harmony. The piquant tang of the deep chocolate, with the rich, sweet cream centers make a rare combination—a sweetmeat treat that can't be beat.

Each is separately wrapped—and the whole package is triple sealed.

At your candy dealers, in half and pound boxes. Please try them.

Our name is on every package. Look for it.

LOOSE-WILES, Kansas City

We also make Fairy Pure Sugar Sticks and Butter Cups.

ders, made a prompt second to the hustling salesman.

The ladies of the Green Ridge Christian church served a fine dinner, giving each one all he could eat, and had a good sum for their work.

While You Think—Of something to say, she can entertain herself with Dally Varden or Nunnally's chocolates. Get either at the

Arlington Pharmacy.

TO RAISE PRESIDENT'S PAY

Senator Bourne introduced a Bill Doubling the Present Salary.

Washington, Dec. 18.—Senator Bourne introduced a bill yesterday providing for an increase in the salary of the president of the United States from \$50,000 to \$100,000 and in the salary of the vice president from \$12,000 to \$25,000.

The bill is intended to take effect at the beginning of the next administration.

It's Your Treat—And she's waiting for it—a box of Nunnally's candy.

Arlington Pharmacy.

Circuit Court Entries.

The following entries were made on the docket in the Pettis county circuit court today:

C. F. Kirby vs. J. G. Rogers, replevin; plaintiff makes voluntary remittance of \$24.99, amount assessed as damages and motion for new trial overruled and defendant excepts.

Hattie Vickery vs. George B. Miller et al, partition; petition filed.

BUSINESS OR DRESS SUITS—NEWEST PATTERNS. LOEWER, TAILOR, 112 EAST THIRD.

**WILL FIRE THE PISTOL**

Lawyers for T. Jenkins Hains Hope to Prove Client's Innocence Thereby.

Flushing, Dec. 18.—Counsel for Thornton J. Hains today are preparing for a unique demonstration with the automatic revolver with which William E. Annis was slain, to show that the writer was not a principal with his brother, Capt. Peter Hains, jr., in the shooting of Annis.

In the presence of witnesses a replica of Capt. Hains' revolver will be fired to prove that the seven cartridges in the weapon can be discharged within one and five-eighths seconds.

Acting Captain of Police Ivory has denied the defendant's counsel permission to discharge the revolver.

within the town's limits, saying it would be in violation of the town ordinance. Alderman Hogan told Hains' lawyer that the revolver exhibition might be held along Flushing creek, outside the corporate limits.

Valuable Dog Poisoned.

Isaac Warren, of 218 South Grand avenue, lost a valuable shepherd dog by being poisoned at his home last night.

**500 Sheet Pictures Given Away**

We will give them away if you have us frame them. Call and see them and pick out your choice.

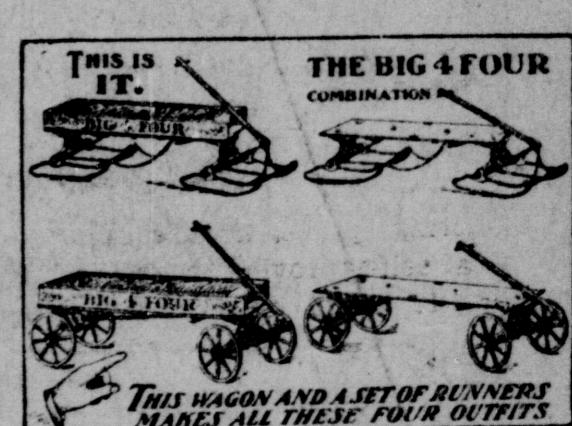
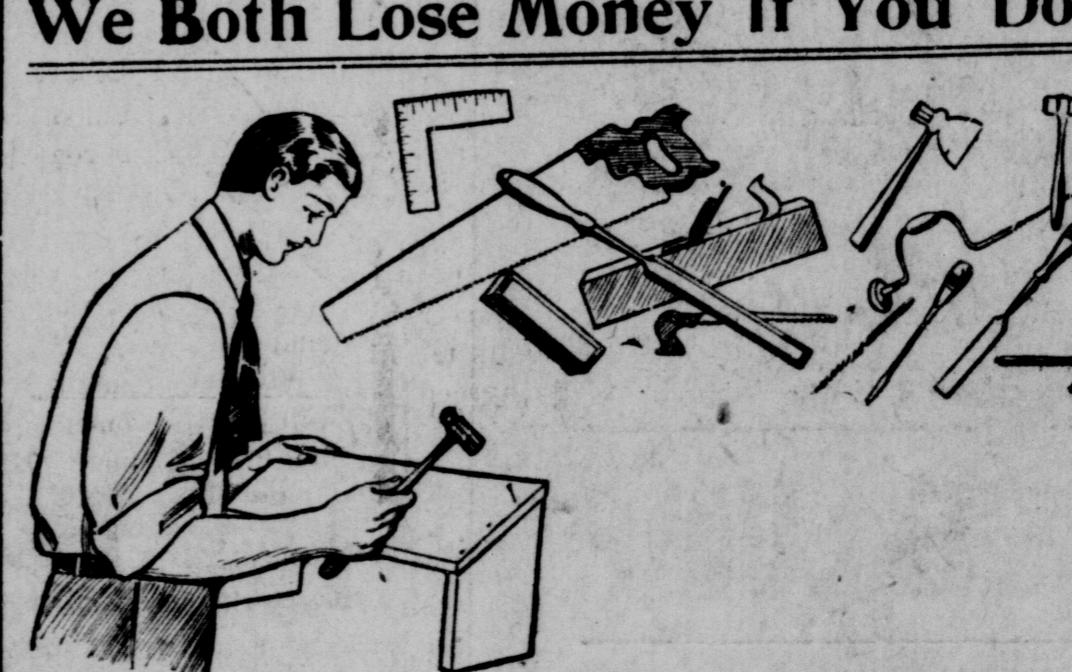
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PICTURES FRAMED—At lowest price: largest stock in city and we frame them right.

OLD FURNITURE—Made new and up to date; styles at reasonable prices. Go-carts and baby buggies repaired and re-upholstered; furniture repaired.

Sedalia Awning &amp; Mattress Co.

Phones 322.

**We Both Lose Money If You Don't Trade With Us!**

These Wagons Will Do For The Boys.

With a set of good tools such as we can furnish, the business man can spend a very pleasant and profitable hour of recreation.

**KNIGHT-MARSHALL HDW. CO. 'Y**

From Now Till Christmas Our Store Open Evenings

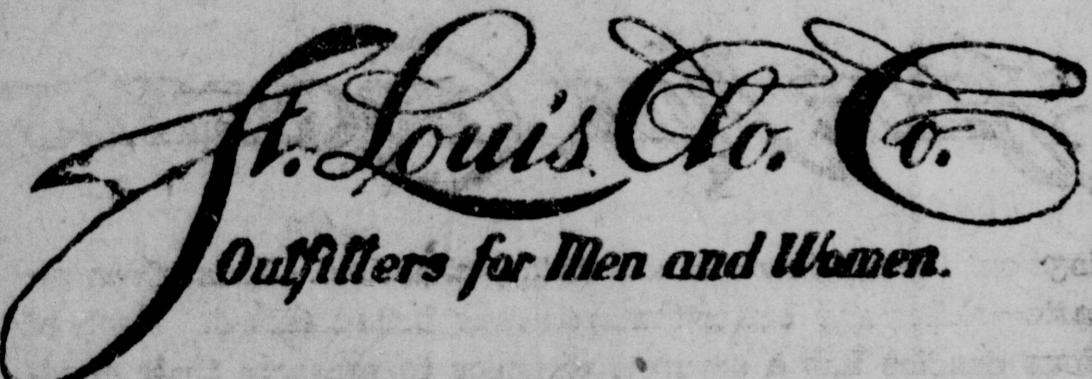
# Helpful Hints To Christmas Shoppers

In remembering friends and relatives the tendency to give useful gifts is more marked this year than ever before—so you can't make a mistake in choosing gifts for men and boys at "The St. Louis," as every article we sell is a useful gift.

**Puncture Proof Guaranteed Sox— 50c Box**  
3 pairs in a box

<b>Bath Robes</b>	<b>\$3.50 to \$5</b>
<b>Smoking Coats</b>	<b>\$5 to \$10</b>
<b>Sweater Coats</b>	<b>\$1 to \$3.50</b>
<b>Sweaters</b>	<b>\$1 to \$5</b>
<b>Kid Gloves</b>	<b>\$1 to \$2.50</b>
<b>Collar Bags</b>	<b>\$1 to \$2.50</b>
<b>Dunlap Hats</b>	<b>\$5</b>
<b>Dunlap Silk and Opera</b>	<b>\$6.50 to \$8</b>
<b>Scarf Pins</b>	<b>50c to \$1</b>
<b>Cuff Buttons</b>	<b>50c to 1.00</b>
<b>Mufflers</b>	<b>50c to 3.50</b>
<b>Neckwear</b>	<b>25c to 1.00</b>
<b>Suit Cases</b>	<b>1.50 to 16.50</b>
<b>Silk Suspenders</b>	<b>50c to 10.00</b>

And hundreds of other useful articles for men & boys.



## POKER-PLAYING MAYOR FINED

Costs Executive \$25 for "Sitting in" Before Election.

Shreveport, La., Dec. 18.—A game of poker played three months ago, before he was elected to office, but after he was nominated, was the basis of an affidavit against Mayor S. A. Dickson for violating a city ordinance against gambling.

The complainant was former Police Sergeant W. F. Roquemore, who failed of reappointment. Mayor Dickson was found guilty and was fined \$25 or twenty-five days in jail by Judge Fullilove. The fine was paid.

## Christmas Trees, Holly and Mistletoe

New Fresh Stocks  
NICE TRIM TREES

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EDW. R. ANDLER, Manager

## ANOTHER ONE ON 'TEDDY'

ALLEGED HE WHIPPED GIRL'S HORSE BECAUSE SHE PASSED HIM.

### A NOVICE WOULD HAVE BEEN THROWN

Rebuked Party, Then Hit Steed—Chaperon Knows She Is Not Mistaken in Ungallant Horseman's Identity.

Washington, Dec. 18.—"You know that you should not go ahead of our party," said President Roosevelt as he rode past me, and three of the seminary girls in Rock Creek park, near the Forest Glen entrance, on Thanksgiving day.

The president rode by fiercely, not stopping, and as he passed the foot of one of the girls was knocked from her stirrup, and the president's riding crop fell viciously upon the flank of the horse she was riding. Had she not been an excellent horsewoman, serious injury to her might have followed.

The foregoing statement was made yesterday by Miss E. I. Sissen, instructor in an exclusive seminary for young ladies, located in Maryland, near the District line. She was recounting an experience which she, as chaperon, and three young women students, two of whom are daughters of wealthy Texas and Chicago men, underwent on Thanksgiving day in Rock Creek park.

Miss Sissen asserted that the president's action was intended as a rebuke for the young ladies and herself because they had ridden past the presidential party and had taken the road before Mr. Roosevelt, instead of following his party.

While the affair had not become public until yesterday, many people of Washington have been told of the occurrence.

When asked about the matter, Miss Sissen said there could not possibly be any mistake in the man who rebuked her and the young ladies with her.

"I know it was President Roosevelt," she said.

"We had been riding in the park for some time. When we made a turn in the road we saw ahead of us a party of four—two ladies, a man and the president.

"We were riding spirited horses, and for some distance rode behind the presidential party, until we found difficulty in keeping our mounts in practically a walk. Then we gave the horses the rein and passed those ahead of us. We proceeded at a good clip for a little distance, slowing down our horses again, and then we heard the pounding of hoofs behind us.

"Before we were aware of it, the president, apparently very angry, and his party were beside us, making four abreast in the road, which crowded us no little. As he brushed past, his horse struck the foot of the young woman beside me, knocking it from the stirrup, and at the same time a blow from the president's crop fell on the horse's flank."

The Strenuous Life.

Everything comes to the strenuous chap who digs right in and secures the best to be had while the other fellow is waiting. Many buyers belong to the first and it is with regret that we say, many more to the latter. The pick of the market is at the command of the first and it is no wonder that a dealer, who has a buyer who belongs to that class, has his store decorated in all the latest novelties from all quarters of the globe. It is, therefore, needless for us to dwell further on this subject, but remember, West's Book Shop belongs to the "first" kind.

Genuine Imported—Olive Oil in quart cans at \$1.00 each.

Arlington Pharmacy.

Taken to the Girls' Home.

Deputy Sheriff "Bud" Dillard, with Miss Wila Sprecher, daughter of Sheriff Sprecher, as a deputy, left this afternoon for Chi'cothee, Mo., to place Mayme Parker and Fleta McCain in the Girls' Industrial Home for a period of five years each for seti larceny.

WILLIAMS' KIDNEY PILLS  
Have you neglected your kidneys? Have you overworked your nervous system and caused trouble with your kidneys and bladder? Have you pain in the loins, side, back, groins and bladder? Too frequent a desire to pass urine? If so, Williams' Kidney Pills will cure you—at druggist price 50c. Williams Mfg. Co., Prop., Cleveland, Ohio. For sale by W. E. Bard Drug Co.

When You Think of Your Girl—Think also of Nunnally and the Arlington Pharmacy.

Their Twenty-Fifth Anniversary.

Cards have been received here announcing that Rev. Louis Albert Banks and wife, who was formerly Miss Jessie Ainsworth, a teacher in the Sedalia public schools, will celebrate the twenty-fifth anniversary of their marriage in Denver, Colo., where Rev. Banks is pastor of Trinity M. E. church, on January 1, 1903.

You Used to—Why not now, take her home a box of delicious chocolates. We carry the highest grades.

### TODAY'S MARKET REPORT

Latest Wire Quotations on Grain, Live Stock and Local Products.

Grain Quotations.  
The following quotations are furnished the Democrat-Sentinel at 3 p.m. each day by B. C. Christopher & Co., grain merchants, Board of Trade building, Kansas City, Mo.

Grain receipts—Wheat, 57 cars; corn, 24 cars; oats, 11 cars.

Wheat market—Unchanged to 1¢ lower. No. 2, \$1.00@1.04½; No. 3, 97¢@1.01; No. 2 red, \$1.05; No. 3 red, \$1.02@1.03. Futures—Dec., 97¢; May, 99¢; July, 91¢.

Corn market—One-fourth to ½ cent lower. No. 2 white, 57½¢; No. 2 yellow, 57¢; No. 3 mixed 56@56½¢. Futures—Dec., 55½¢; May, 56½¢; July, 56½¢.

Oats market—One-half cent lower. No. 2 mixed, 49@50¢; No. 2 white, 50@50½¢.

### KIT KAT DANCING KLUB

Ball Given at the Printing Company Hall Last Night.

The members of the Kit Kat Dancing Klub gave their Christmas dance at the Sedalia Printing company hall last night. There were sixteen dancing numbers and three extra numbers.

Miss Stella Hurley and Damon Fay led the grand march, and Prof. Channing furnished the music. Punch was served throughout the evening. The guest list follows:

Misses Ruby Jolly, Helen Spencer, Maud Miller, Louise Alexander, Celeste Lamy, Ermine Beck, Stella Hurley, Mildred Huston, Florence Poteet, Elma Fleming, Maud Farley, Christine Spencer, Marie Edmonson, Ruth Malone, Lois Williams, Arline Phipps, Mary Estill Hazel Hartshorn, Mrs. H. J. Burris, Joe Bowers, Jr., Ted Clark, William Curran, Lester Demuth, W. J. Easton, Ed C. Evans, Damon Fay, Ed Haunau, Geo. Janisch, Charles E. Messerly, Jr., William Meyer, Emil Neef, Geo. Poteet, Virgil Williams, W. P. Stanley, William Hurley, Carson Meredith, W. M. Ilgenfritz, Forrest Imhoff, De Broaddus, George Moore, Weller Daly, by Mr. and Mrs. Harry Meusche.

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CARPETS, RUGS DRAPERY—MCKENZIE'S, 114 EAST FIFTH.

### AMUSEMENTS.

WOOD'S OPERA HOUSE.  
Prof. Wilhelm, the celebrated hypnotist and occult wonder, while in the city of Denver a short time ago, gave a public demonstration of his wonderful power on the street. He approached a large moving van filled with a gay party of picnickers on pleasure bent. He at once placed them under the magic spell, including the driver, and then told them that their father was dead and that they were then en route to the cemetery, whereupon they set up a weeping and wailing that soon attracted a large crowd. The driver started on the way to the cemetery, driving with slow and measured tread to the imaginary music of the funeral march. After driving several blocks the professor brought them out of the spell and again gaily reigned supreme.

The great Wilhelm and his company are all star vaudeville entertainers and will open at Wood's opera house, commencing Sunday, Dec. 20, for a week's run.

Lost—Pass book, containing money.

Reward if returned to this office.

Opium Users in New York.

There is evidently a large growth in the use of opium in New York city. It is estimated that at least 5,000 white persons use the drug.

Pictures please the recipient more than anything else. Why not give them for Christmas? West's Book Shop.

Bring in Your Card—And select the box of Nunnally's Candy you want to present and we will fix it up and deliver it to you anywhere in town or will deliver it to the express company.—Arlington Pharmacy.

Negro Murderer Wants to Go to Hell for Special Purpose.

Rockingham, N. C., Dec. 8.—Henry Harvey, a negro, who was hanged here yesterday for murder, refused the attention of ministers, saying:

"I want to go to hell for a special purpose."

Harvey murdered Hugh Price, a negro, last summer.

# The Bee Hive Bargain Store

4th and Ohio Sts., Sedalia, Mo.

### WHAT IS A MORE APPROPRIATE GIFT THAN HANDKERCHIEFS?

This line is a hobby of ours, and we boast of the best assortment of handkerchiefs in Sedalia. We have them ranging in price from 2¢ to \$2.00 each.

### FIVE MORE DAYS IN WHICH TO BUY.

YOU WILL HAVE TO HURRY, AS THE CHOICEST CLASS OF MERCHANDISE IS PICKED FIRST.

OUR SALES PEOPLE WILL CHEERFULLY OFFER ANY SUGGESTION, AS THEIR EXPERIENCE ENABLES THEM TO BE OF GREAT VALUE TO YOU.

A FEW SUGGESTIONS.  
Belts, Hand Bags, Silk Hose, Kid Gloves, a Set of Flats, a Dress Pattern, Fancy Flatpins, Metal Purse, Silk Handkerchiefs, Umbrellas, Silk Waists, Silk Waist Patterns.  
And in our store are many, many more articles our salespeople can show you and suggest.

Just received from New York by express.

The very latest 27-inch

## Grecian Silk Finish Cloth.

The colors are green, blue and black, with small figured designs.

71/2c

## STORE OPEN NIGHTS UNTIL CHRISTMAS.

### 100,000 TONS OF COAL AFIRE

Canadian Pacific at Winnipeg Has Fought Blaze for Weeks.

### THE LODGES

#### Masonic Notice.

Granite lounge No. 272, A. F. and A. M., meets tonight at 7:30 in regular communication.

At this meeting officers for the coming year will be elected and all members are invited to attend.

E. A. STRONG, W. M.  
S. M. HODGES, Secy.

#### K. of P. Notice.

Sedalia lodge No. 27, Knights of Pythias, meets tonight in their hall, 114 East Fifth street, for the transaction of regular business. Visiting brothers cordially invited to attend.

CHARLES COSTIN, K of R and S  
FRED TIEZCE, C. C.

#### SHORT ORDER HOT LUNCH ALL HOURS W. J. COLLINS, 104 S. OHIO ST.

Your Wife Would Enjoy—A box of Nunnally's Chocolates. It's at the Arlington Pharmacy.

### NOT TALK TO PREACHERS

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### BITTER SHOCK FOR CONVICT

Rearrest Instead of Christmas Liberty Awaits Prisoner.

Little Rock, Dec. 18.—W. E. Holderby, a convict in the Arkansas penitentiary, who will complete his three-year term today, and expects to enjoy his Christmas at home, in Benton county, will be disappointed.



**The Christmas Store**  
**Chasnoffs**  
**110 W. 2nd—118 S. Ohio.**  
 Either entrance leads to all parts of the store.

## FINAL SATURDAY XMAS SALE

Greatest Bargain Day of the Year  
 Join the Merry Crowds—  
 We're Ready!

50c MEN & BOYS' SHIRTS	39c
50c MEN'S SILK TIES	24c
75c 4-IN-HAND TIES	47c
39c MEN'S EMB. HOSE	19c
39c FANCY TOWELS	22c
25c LADIES' SILK HDKFS	19c
39c INITIAL SILK HDKFS	24c
\$1.36-IN BLK TAFFETA	63c
250 LADIES' UMBRELLA	1.97
50c LADIES' KNIT SKIRTS	29c
\$1.36-IN FANCY SILK	69c
\$3 BATTENBURG SCARF	\$1.87
25c KIMONIA CREPES	18c
15c KIMONIA CHALLIES	9½c
\$3.50 TRIMMED HATS	\$1.69
\$5.00 CREPE KIMONAS	\$2.97
HAND BAGS	39c
\$1.50 MEN'S SAMPLE DRESS SHIRTS	87c
\$1.00 MEN'S AND BOYS' SHIRTS	69c
\$1.00 MEN'S SILK MUFFERS	59c
\$1.00 GOLD BUCKLE SUSPENDERS	49c
50c GOLD BUCKLE ARM BANDS	24c
75c MEN'S FANCY SILK HANDKERCHIEFS	49c
75c FANCY LINEN TOWELS	59c
\$1.50 72-INCH SATIN DAMASK	97c
\$3.00 HEMSTITCHED TABLE CLOTHS	\$1.97
75c 72-IN ALL LINEN DAMASK	49c
\$1.50 36-IN SATIN MESSALINE	97c
39c GERMAN DRESDEN TICKING, YARD	29c
15c FLANNELETTES (36-IN. WIDE)	9½c
\$2.00 MEN'S SILK LINED GLOVES	\$1.47
\$1.50 LADIES' CAPE GLOVES	\$1.19
\$2.50 CHILDREN'S BEAR-CLOTH COATS	\$1.47
\$3.50 MISSES' CLOTH COATS	\$1.95
\$1.50 LADIES' TRIMMED COATS	\$3.97
\$10.00 BEAUTIFUL TRIMMED HATS	\$4.95
\$1.50 LADIES' TAILED WAISTS	95c
\$3.00 PLEATED PANAMA SKIRTS	\$1.95
\$5.50 TRIMMED PANAMA SKIRTS	\$3.97
25c COMBS, BROOCHES, HAT PINS	9c
75c BELTS, BELT PINS, HAND BAGS	39c
\$3.50 LEATHER BAGS, JEWEL BACK COMBS	\$1.87
15c FANCY DRESDEN RIBBON	9c
\$1.25 WOMEN'S FRENCH KID GLOVES	87c
\$6.00 SILK PETTICOATS, ALL COLORS	\$3.97
\$1.50 HEAVY KNIT SCARFS	77c
50c WOMEN'S FLEECED UNION SUITS	39c
15c LACE WHEEL TERCERIFF DOILIES	5c
\$2.50 FRINGED BED SPREADS	\$1.97
\$1.50 SILKOLINE COMFORTS	97c
\$5.00 PLAID WOOL BLANK-ETS	\$4.48
75c FANCY SILK, 19 TO 27-IN. WIDE	39c
\$3.00 LADIES' FINE SHOES	\$1.87
\$3.50 MEN'S PATENT COLT	\$2.65
\$1.00 BOYS' SWEATER COAT	69c
\$3.50 LADIES' SWEATER COAT	\$2.47

**The Christmas Store**  
**Chasnoffs**  
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## RUMBLINGS OF THE RAIL

THE CASE OF WAGES FOR M. K. & T. TRAIN IS NOW BEING ARBITRATED.

### COACH CAB AND CABOOSE ITEMS

Matters of Interest Picked Up From Various Sources for the Benefit of Democrat-Sentinel Readers.

Representatives of both the officials and employees of the Missouri, Kansas and Texas conferred in Washington, D. C., yesterday, with Chairman Knapp, of the Interstate Commerce commission, and Commissioner of Labor Neill, whom both sides had selected to arbitrate the controversy over wages and conditions of employment.

An agreed statement of the difference was submitted and testimony heard to develop the facts more fully.

Messrs. Knapp and Neill are not acting as mediators under the Erdman act, but as arbitrators, both sides having agreed to submit their differences and abide by their decision, so that there is no possibility of a strike on the part of the trainmen, no matter the decision.

#### He Sees a Railway Boom.

The past and future of railroad growth in the United States was presented in an address before the Commercial club in Boston last night by William C. Brown, of New York, senior vice president of the New York Central lines.

Mr. Brown prophesied that in fifteen years there would be a population of 125 million in the country and that 7½ billion dollars would have to be expended for increasing and improving railroad facilities.

#### Katy Station Was Robbed.

The M. K. & T. station at Monroe was broken into last night and \$40 in cash and valuable express matter stolen.

The burglars broken open a window in the ladies' waiting room, after which they pried open the window in the ticket office, after first removing the grill work. There is no clue.

#### New Division Superintendent.

Clyde M. Reed, a former Sedalian, but now of Wichita, Kas., has been appointed superintendent of the division of railway adjustments of the postoffice department, in succession to Joseph Stewart, who recently was made second assistant postmaster-general.

#### School of Instruction.

Trainmaster E. M. Dennis and C. M. Hunt, of the Missouri Pacific, will hold a school of instruction at Kansas City from 1 to 3 p. m. Saturday, Dec. 19, for trainmen and enginemen. The instruction will be given in a coach in the East Bottoms.

#### Train Makes a Sad Christmas.

N. A. Deadman, aged 27 years, brakeman, was killed at Carmi, Ill., yesterday, by a Big Four train.

He had planned to spend Christmas with relatives in Sheffield, Ala., and declared this would be his last run.

#### Automatic Couplers.

Superintendent N. J. Finney, of the Katy, is at Parsons, Kan., today on business.

E. C. Clifford, traveling engineer for the Missouri Pacific, made a business visit at Jefferson City today.

C. Y. Lawrence, a former Missouri Pacific conductor, returned this afternoon from a visit in Kansas City.

L. C. Marshall, assistant engineer for the Missouri Pacific, returned today from a business visit at Tipton.

Ron McDougall, a Missouri Pacific telegrapher of Independence, came home this morning for a few hours' visit.

Dr. Charles McNeil, of the M. K. & T. hospital staff, and wife, went to Syracuse this morning to visit home folks.

N. P. Kemp, of the Missouri Pacific secret service department, was a west bound passenger on the fast mail today.

L. C. Redmond, assistant general foreman of the Missouri Pacific telegraph department, went to Kansas City this morning on business.

L. C. Redmond, assistant general agent for the Missouri Pacific, who

has been bedfast with severe cold at his home on East Fifth street, is able to be up and around. Mrs. Rodeman is also improving.

Riley Spillers, a Missouri Pacific brakeman out of Jefferson City, was in the city today visiting home folks, on his way to Kansas City.

J. F. Jarshwich, an M. K. & T. laborer, and wife, have a baby daughter, born at their home, 409 North Engineer avenue, early this morning.

The earnings of the Missouri Pacific for the second week in December were \$944,000; increase, \$139,000. From July 1 the earnings were \$21,002,737; a decrease of \$1,446,227.

Seven extra engineers on the Missouri Pacific, running out of Sedalia and Jefferson City, who were laid off Wednesday when the extra board was cut, were put back to work yesterday.

W. A. Sullivan, a Missouri Pacific conductor, returned this morning from Boonville, to which place he ran a special train for the benefit of theater-goers who desired witnessing "The Burgomaster."

Charles Smith, a clerk and stenographer in the Colorado Southern railway offices at Denver, will arrive home Sunday to spend the Christmas holidays with his mother, Mrs. Fannie Smith, of 400 West Fourth street.

## SALVATION ARMIES IN A ROW

Commander of the American Branch Admitted Prison Sentences.

New York, Dec. 18.—James William Duffin, the commander-in-chief of the American Salvation Army, testifying yesterday in the trial of the suit brought by the Salvation Army, of which General William Booth is the head, to restrain the other army from using the name "Salvation Army," declared that his army had never thought of using the Booth army uniforms as a model. He said the present American Salvation Army was organized in Coatesville, Pa., in 1896.

In 1897 the headquarters of the army was moved to Philadelphia and the army now had seventy-five branches in the states of Illinois, Ohio, Kansas, Missouri, Texas, Colorado, Maryland, Delaware, Pennsylvania and New York, with about 300 officers. The army holds property in Coatesville, Pa., which is valued at over \$2,000.

On cross-examination General Duffin said he had been in prison several times. He was arrested a number of times when he was with the Salvation Army and also when he was with the American Salvation Army, he said.

He was once convicted of the crime of abduction with three other men and served six months in prison in Lancaster, Pa.

Don't growl when starting on a buying tour. People who make a practice of going to West's Book Shop never growl.

## Winter Suiting fully ready—Weisburgh men's tailor, 213 Ohio

**BARBERS TO SHAVE SUNDAY**

The Charge Will Be 25 Cents, "Neck Shave Extra."

Kansas City, Mo., Dec. 18.—The man who has a strong growth of beard and is unable to shave himself will not have to stay at home on Sunday hereafter. At a meeting held in

## SALOON THOUGHT NO. 37.

When you consider the fact that a fire in Peoria recently destroyed one million dollars worth of bonded and INSURED whiskey, and that a six hundred thousand dollar fire of whiskey took place in Iowa and one about the same size in Kentucky, and that all these stocks were heavily insured, and this is a greater loss than these insurance companies have suffered in the last six or eight years combined. This, coupled with the fact that many firms are issuing no new policies, it looks rather queer. This evidently is simply coincidences, but when you consider that the United States loss during the month of October alone was \$1,502,000.00 due to a decreased consumption of these liquors it makes it seem more peculiar. Many insurance companies at present are cancelling their policies on bonded whiskies. And many that are not canceling them are writing no new ones.

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the Commerce building last night forty master barbers agreed to keep open house on Sunday until noon.

A quarter will be charged for every shave. From which it will be seen that, although it is sinful to shave a man for a dime on Sunday, it is not nearly so bad if the shaver gets a quarter for the job.

## IN AN OPEN BOAT 13 HOURS

Seven Men From a Foundered Schooner Reached Nova Scotia.

Sydney, Nova Scotia, Dec. 18.—Exhausted by eight days of toil at the pumps and thirteen hours passed in an open boat with the thermometer near Zero, seven men rowed ashore at Port Morien yesterday and reported that the French schooner Marcelline had foundered off the Cape Breton coast at midnight Tuesday. When the boat reached the beach several of the sailors were so worn out that they had to be lifted ashore.

The Marcelline, a schooner of 250 tons with a crew of seven men, left Calais, France, November 4, with a cargo of salt for St. Pierre.

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## A CHRISTMAS PROGRAM

At the M. E. Church, South, Rev. J. F. Caskey, Pastor, Sunday.

The following program is to be carried out at the M. E. church, South, Sunday, December 20:

Organ voluntary, "Adoration," Bowers—Miss Payne.

Hymn, "Brightest and Best of the Sons of the Morning."

Prayer.

Anthem, "When Shepherds Watched Their Flocks," Spross.

Hymn, "Silent Night."

Offertory—Miss Payne.

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### MAN WHO EARNS \$6 A WEEK

Need Not Support His Wife, Rules a New York Judge.

New York, Dec. 18.—That a man earning only \$6 a week is not compelled to support his wife was a decision by Judge Foster in general sessions yesterday.

Lesser Glassberg married two years ago on \$6 a week. His wife, Annie, could not live on his salary and they separated two months ago. He refused to give her \$2 a week and she sued.

In deciding the case Judge Foster said:

"Now, if a woman chooses to embark in matrimony with a man whose earning capacity is only \$6, she must take her chances of getting her support. Thus rushing into matrimony may appeal to the president of the United States, but it does not to one who weighs the evidence."

"I am not going to encourage this crime of matrimony by making a husband whose earnings are \$6 a week go out and steal to support a wife. I will not allow her even \$2 a week."

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### GOSSIP FROM RINGSIDE

IS POSSIBLE THAT "BATTLING" NELSON WILL MEET McFARLAND.

### DANE IS TRULY GATHERING IN THE COIN

"Jack" Blackburn Has the Best Right for a Battle With the Champion—Others Names Who Are Mentioned.

(By Knox Blockoff.)

New York, Dec. 18.—With the McFarland-Welsh battle declared off, there does not appear to be any likelihood of an early decision of the merits of the lightweights who are contesting for the title now held by Battling Nelson.

It may be that Nelson will consent to meet Packey McFarland, but the Dane has said that Welsh is the logical candidate for him, and that when he gets ready he will take him on.

However, the Dane does not seem to be overheated in arranging any matches these days, as he is gathering the coin in other ways and will rest up.

Most sporting authorities agree that there are only four men now to be seriously considered as aspirants for the Dane's lightweight mantle. These men, in the order of their ability are: Jack Blackburn, George Memsic, Packey McFarland and Fredy Welsh.

There is only one way to determine which of the four is entitled to a bout with Nelson—have a further elimination tourney and let the Battler go up against the best of the four. Certainly such a plan would have the enthusiastic approval of every fair-minded sport in America.

Blackburn, in reality, has the best right for a battle with the champion, since he has proven that he can weigh in at 133 pounds and go six rounds. He has met Gans a number of times and the former world's champion could never boast of having beaten the Philadelphian in a decisive fashion. Gans beat Memsic, but McFarland and Welsh always sidestepped the "old master."

If McFarland, or, in fact, any of the three, refuse to meet Blackburn it would be a public confession that they do not want any of his game and the public should immediately drop them from further consideration regarding lightweight honors. As Nelson won his laurels from a negro, no such petty excuse as drawing the color line should be tolerated. All four men are natural lightweights, although Blackburn is of abnormal build and enjoys physical advantage of height and reach which the others do not possess. But if he makes the weight 133 pounds at the appointed time there should be no quibble.

The question has often been put to such men as Parson Davies, Jim Corbett and others, but no information as to the exact receipts could be had. After many years it may be solved now that Sully is going to do his best to find out officially.

## None Too Early To Choose The Christmas Gifts

And, if you want to give presents to men that they will appreciate most thoroughly, come to this store for them. Here are great stocks of men's wearables, in correct styles and worthy qualities; you can't go wrong in choosing.

This will be more than ever a season of practical, sensible gifts; and we are better than ever ready to supply them.

### BATH ROBES

The full size kind, \$3.50 to \$10.00.

### HANDK'RCHIEFS

All the new solid colors, 50c.

### SUSPENDERS

in Gift Boxes, extra quality new Sterling Silver Buckles, \$1.00 to 50c.

### GLOVES

H. & P. (They fit) Gloves, \$5.00, \$3.00 \$2.00 \$1.50, \$1.00.

Big variety of Silk Lined Gloves.

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A Great Variety. Full Dress Protectors, Reefer Mufflers, Knitted Mufflers, \$50 to \$2.00.

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### A RECEIVER IS ASKED FOR

CASE AGAINST NEW ENGLAND TRUST COMPANY SET FOR TOMORROW.

### MUCH INTEREST HAS BEEN MANIFESTED

It Was in Connection With This Matter That Thomas D. Taylor Was Taken in Custody on Conspiracy Charge.

Providence, R. I., Dec. 18.—The case of William R. Dunham against the New England Trust Co., a petition for the appointment of a receiver, is on the calendar of the superior court for a hearing tomorrow.

Much interest has been manifested in the hearing, as it was in connection with this matter that Thomas D. Taylor, who was formerly identified with the New England Trust Co., was taken into custody on a charge brought by John P. Beagan, the receiver of the New England Trust Co., and being unable to secure bail in the amount of \$350,000, has been held at the Providence county jail since the first of April.

Taylor, after his being taken into custody, undertook, through habeas corpus proceedings, to secure his release. He had a hearing before the supreme court on April 29. He made the contention that his imprisonment and subsequent confinement illegal, unlawfully entitling him within the jurisdiction of the Rhode Island courts and then effecting his arrest, which he alleged, was therefore void and subsequent confinement illegal. He claimed, too, that Mr. Beagan, the receiver, was the one who, personally or through agents, enticed him to this city by representation that a mere friendly conference as to the bank's affairs was wished, and claimed further that such representation was false and that it was the sole object of bringing about his arrest.

The supreme court after the hearing returned its findings, denying the writ of habeas corpus and declaring that the service of the writ upon Taylor was not secured by fraud of Mr. Beagan or his agents.

At the hearing considerable testimony was presented to show that Taylor came to this city March 25 on the invitation of certain men who had been connected with the New England Trust Co. as directors, and who had given Taylor to understand that the receiver desired to discuss some matters with him relative to the bank's affairs. There also was presented testimony to show that Mr. Beagan was not aware of this invitation and knew nothing of Mr. Tay-

### \$5,000 FOR HER AFFECTION

School Teacher Sues Streator City Attorney

Streator, Ill., Dec. 18.—Miss Ehrma Cloyd has filed suit against City Attorney Max Murdoch, asking \$5,000 damages, alleging breach of promise. She is a kindergarten teacher here.

She claims Murdoch proposed marriage in August, 1905, and paid regular court to her thereafter until a few months ago, or just prior to a trip which he made to Italy.

### \$10,000 FOR WIFE'S DEATH

Dr. Caulfield Sues Kansas City Building Company.

Kansas City, Mo., Dec. 18.—Dr. E. A. Caulfield, of St. Louis, has brought suit for \$10,000 in the circuit court here against the Commerce Building company because of the death of his wife, Mrs. Emma F. Caulfield.

She was killed November 16 in the Commerce building by falling down the elevator shaft from the tenth floor to the sub-basement.

### PERSONAL

HAROLD come back to me. Everything will be forgotten. You can have your Royal Push Button Morris Chair and your pipe—EDITH.

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## Classified Ads

### WANTED

Wanted—Boarders, 903 South Ohio Room and board. Bell phone 1992.

Wanted—Stoves to black and repair. Cohen's, 119 E. Main. Phones.

Wanted—Old clothes, shoes and school books. Mrs. E. E. Cole, secretary Board of Charities.

Wanted—Your old clothes to make nice as new and fit for another season's use in our Dry Cleaning and Steam Pressing Department. Phone for our wagons.

SEDALIA MONARCH LAUNDRY.

### HELP WANTED—Male

Wanted—Girl for general housework. Apply 724 West Seventh.

Wanted—At once, extra salesladies. Call Bell phone 963, between 6 and 7 p.m.

Wanted—First class general blacksmith. Fisher Carriage and Wagon Works, 314-316 West Second Street.

### HELP WANTED—Female

Wanted—Girl for general housework; no washing or ironing. Apply 101 East Third.

Wanted—A middle aged lady to keep house and care for two children, 9 and 11 years old. Apply Ben Gorrell, 106 South Prospect. Phone 940.

### New Officers Elected.

Sedalia camp No. 5570, M. W. of A., last night elected the following officers, who will be installed the night of January 17:

Consul—S. W. James.

Post constl—Dr. W. G. Cowan.

Advisor—H. L. Shacklett.

Clerk—E. E. Coddling.

Banker—G. S. Henderson.

Escort—Victor Leiter.

Watchman—William Smith.

Physicians—Drs. H. L. Barnum, W. G. Cowan and F. R. Morley.

Managers—D. V. Carroll, C. D. Brown and W. E. Hurlbut.

Little Squaw Cigars—all dealers, 5c.

Mother's Picture for Christmas.

Your children and friends would appreciate a photograph of you sitting in your old arm chair at home. We are especially equipped for home portraiture, both interior and exterior. Telephone us now, before the rush is on. Bell 149—Thomas & Potter, Photographers, 111 East Second

Dog Show at Cambridge, Mass.

Boston, Dec. 18.—New England dogs of high degree are assembled today at Cambridge at the first big exhibition of blue-blooded canines held there in the memory of present day fanciers. Several specialty clubs are participating and the show is attracting much attention.

Every day a bargain day at The Globe Clothing and Shoe store, 105-127 West Main street.

Has Sold His Farm.

Having sold his farm, four miles south of Sedalia and one and one-half miles southeast of water works, J. J. Keleher will hold a public auction of horses, cows, chickens and implements on Monday, December 21.

Under the circumstances the Judge

Houston Transfer Company.

Household goods packed, shipped and stored. Large Wagons and careful handling. All breakage guaranteed. Both phones 157.

SMOKE GOLDEN ROD CIGARS, 10c

The Root of the Trouble.

A housemaid being questioned as to what girls dislike most in the way of an employer declared that the woman who thinks she knows how to keep house is the most disagreeable woman to work for. Generally she thinks her way the only way and makes life miserable for her maids. The ideal mistress is one, the maid thinks, who has not much faith in her own ability to do work, but is satisfied with ordering, leaving the details to her servants. The maid thinks that when mistresses stop playing at domestic science and other fads, the servant question will settle itself.

Your shirt orders solicited and appreciated. Mrs. Weiderhold, 416 Ohio.

### FOR SALE

For Sale—Six room cottage; choice location. W. J.

For Sale—Good milk cow. Apply 900 East Seventh.

For Sale—Six gallon coffee can.

Cohen. Both phones, 119 E. Main.

For Sale—Singer sewing machine, in good condition. 203 West Fifth St.

For Sale—Two registered Poland-China bear pigs. Apply 726 East Fourth. New Home phone 167.

For Sale—As good as new, one range, heating stove, gas range, and baby buggy. See Carl P. Werner.

For Sale—Heating stoves; one dollar down and one dollar per week.

Cohen's, 119 E. Main. Both phones.

Farm for Sale—162 1/4 acres, near Lamotte; lays fine; no waste land.

Chas. Chappell, owner, 1918 South Grand, Sedalia, Mo.

For Sale—Good gentle driving horse, city broke, drive single or double. For particulars write Claude A. Mahan, Belton, Mo. Martin Hall.

For Sale; for Trade—Double brick store room, Fifth street and Warsaw tracks; will sell cheap or trade for Sedalia residence property. Address "Doubtless Brick," care Democrat-Sentinel.

For Rent—Large south front room, alcove; strictly modern; eight blocks west of court house. Address B. care this office.

For Rent—Two nicely furnished rooms for gentlemen; steam heat; electric light; close in; Broadway. Inquire James Story's office.

For Rent—Fine new flat, four rooms, three closets, bath, hot and cold water; also drilled well. 606½ Ohio street.—Chas. Van Antwerp.

For Rent—Six room house; strictly modern, gas and electric lights; hot and cold bath; furnace heat; in good neighborhood; reasonable. — A. D. Stanley, Democrat-Sentinel office.

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For Rent—Eight room house, 903 S. Kentucky avenue. Apply L. C. Yunker, Arlington Pharmacy. Phone 14.

For Rent—Large front room and alcove, with bath. 901 S. E. Cor. 9th and Moniteau Streets.

For Rent—New cottages, convenient to car line and M. K. & T. shops, \$10.—C. C. Lawson, Ilgenfritz Bldg.

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## KNOCKING THE "GIANTS"

SAYS NEW YORKERS PLANNED TO CRIPPLE MEMBERS OF THE CUB TEAM.

## THE STATEMENT OF MR. FRANK CHANCE

A Dozen Prize Fighters Were Congregated at a Convenient Place and Ready to Beat Up Good Chicago Players.

Los Angeles, Dec. 18.—According to an interview with Frank Chance, captain of the Chicago National league team last season, published here yesterday, the halo has not been told of the disgraceful treatment accorded the Chicago Cubs by some New York fans and players prior to the deciding game with the Giants on October 8.

"Fearing that they could not beat us even with the advantage of playing on their own grounds, the Giants deliberately planned to cripple several of our men before the game," said Chance.

"For this purpose they had a dozen prize fighters congregated in a convenient place and the starting of a fight would have been the signal for them to jump in and beat up some of our best men.

"I believe that McGinnity, armed with a bat, was sent out for the purpose of starting a fight with me, but we were onto the game and held ourselves in check.

"It was not our intention to allow the Giants to win the pennant by knocking us out. Although in possession of every advantage they were afraid to tackle us with our team intact.

We had not played for three days, were hustled over to New York, dumped off the cars and denied the privilege of practicing before the game. It was the dirtiest piece of business ever pulled off on a diamond."

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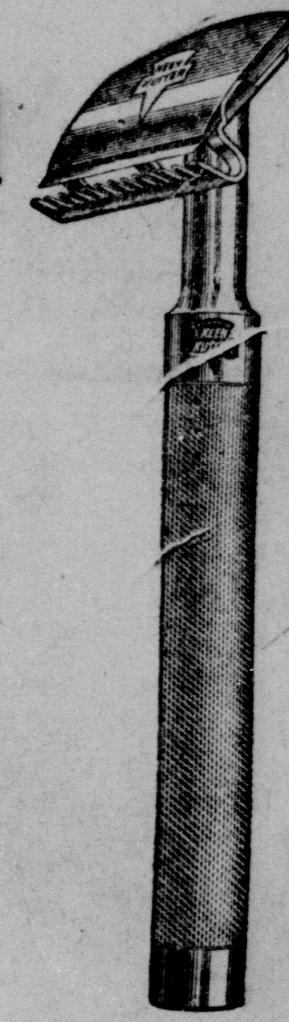
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No. K-3—Gold Plated in genuine English Pigskin Case, \$5.00.

## THIS BRIDE IS ONLY ELEVEN

Girl-Wife Rides on Half-Fare From Texas to Kansas.

Fort Worth, Texas, Dec. 18.—With his 11-year-old bride, H. S. Hunt left Fort Worth yesterday for Leavenworth, Kas., on a honeymoon trip. The couple were married at Stephenville, Texas. The bride is 35 years old. The bride traveled on a half-fare ticket when they left on the honeymoon. Crowds collected around them at the various stations.

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